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AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

LISTING OF CLAIMS

1. (Currently amended) An isolated nucleic acid which comprises [the] <u>a</u> sequence of [the] <u>a</u> promoter for [the] <u>a</u> gene for a lucerne PR protein linked to at least [the] <u>a</u> sequence of a gene encoding a stilbene synthase, wherein said nucleic acid comprises SEQ. ID. NO.:3 comprises SEQ ID NO: 3.

2-8. (Cancelled)

- 9. (Previously presented) A plant expression vector comprising the nucleic acid of Claim 1.
- 10. (Cancelled).
- 11. (Previously presented) The plant expression vector according to Claim 9, wherein said vector is a plasmid.
- 12. (Previously presented) The plant expression vector according to Claim 9, wherein said vector can be transferred into Agrobacterium strains.
- 13. (Previously presented) The plant expression vector according to Claim 9, wherein said vector can be induced in plants by a biotic or abiotic stress
- 14. (Previously presented) The plant expression vector according to Claim 13, wherein said biotic stress is a parasite attack.

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- 15. (Previously presented) The plant expression vector according to Claim 14, wherein said parasite is selected from the group consisting of a bacterium, a yeast, a fungus and a virus.
- 16. (Previously presented) The plant expression vector according to Claim 14, wherein said parasite is *Botrytis cinerea* or *Plasmopora viticola*.
- 17. (Previously presented) The plant expression vector according to Claim 13, wherein said abiotic stress is a mechanical wound.
- 18. (Previously presented) The plant expression vector according to Claim 17, wherein said mechanical wound is caused by an insect.
- 19. (Previously presented) The plant expression vector according to Claim 17, wherein said mechanical wound is caused by wind or frost.
- 20. (Currently amended) Plant cells A plant cell transformed with the plant expression vector of Claim 9.
- 21. (Previously presented) The plant cell according to Claim 20 wherein said cell is a grapevine cell.
- 22. (Currently amended) A method for making-the a plant cell that expresses stilbene synthase of Claim-20, wherein a plant cell is transformed using an expression-vector comprising:

transforming a plant cell using an expression vector having SEQ ID NO: 1 operably linked to SEQ ID NO: 2.

a promoter for a lucern PR-gene operably linked to a coding sequence of a stilbene synthase gene.

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23. (Currently amended) A method for making the plant method for making plants a plant that express stilbene synthase comprising:

transforming plant cells transforming a plant cell with the plant expression vector of Claim 9; and

regenerating a transformed plants plant from said cell. cells, wherein said plant plants express stilbene synthase.

- 24. (Previously presented) A transformed plant comprising the plant expression vector of Claim 9.
- 25. (Cancelled)
- 26. (Previously presented) A transformed plant made by the method of Claim 23.
- 27-29. (Cancelled)
- 30. (Previously presented) An isolated nucleic acid comprising SEQ. ID. NO.: 1.
- 31. (Previously presented) An isolated nucleic acid comprising SEQ. ID. NO.: 2.
- 32-33 (Cancelled)